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The statutory period for response to this Notice to File Corrected Papers has not expired. The response was due on or before
June 24, 2002 without an extension.

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Papers of April 24, 2002 , please amend the above identified application as follows:

REMARKS

DRAWINGS

Attached are substitute drawings, as requested in the attached Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. The attached drawings have the appropriate margins and are electronically reproducible.

Conclusions

Applicant respectfully contends that, based upon the above remarks, the application is now in condition for continued examination. The fees associated with this filling, if any are due, are included herewith.

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
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